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Sailor in the Spotlight: HM2 Ruth Suarez

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HM2 Ruth Suarez

Hometown: General Santos City, Philippines

When did you join Navy? October 2008

What is your current job? [Health Professions Scholarship Program](#) tuition analyst

What are your proudest Navy Accomplishments?
My proudest Navy accomplishment is taking care of our Wounded Warriors and their families. When I was working in the ICU, I have witnessed firsthand the cost of what my brothers and sisters fight and defend for their country and loved ones. Whenever I see them, instead of feeling fear of the dangers in the front, I am strengthened by their continued perseverance to overcome, what could be, their most challenging ordeal,

and to contribute to their healing is the most fulfilling act I can imagine.

What is your favorite thing about serving in the Navy? Hearing about my mentor’s sea stories always inspires and motivates me, and reminds me of the tremendous pride and history of the U.S. Navy. And to be part of it is truly an immense honor.

Where do you see yourself in 5 years? I will be proudly serving as a [Nurse Corps Officer](#).


What are your hobbies? My favorite hobbies are playing sports, playing the guitar, piano, and ukulele, drawing, painting, and photography.


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